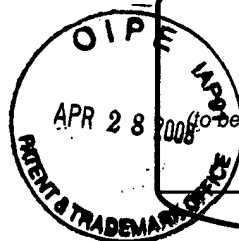


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AMENDMENT UNDER 35 U.S.C. §1.111

Sir or Madam:

In response to the Office Action mailed January 30, 2008, the following amendments and remarks are respectfully submitted in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this Amendment.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 3 of this Amendment.

Amendments to the Drawings begin on page 11 of this Amendment

Remarks begin on page 12 of this Amendment.

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